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London, Feb. 18.—According to the correspondent at Shanghai of the Daily Telegraph, General Kuropatkin apparently has changed his base from Mukden to Fushun.

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## FOR A STATE PLANT

GOVERNOR HOCH OF KANSAS HAS SIGNED BILL FOR ERECTION OF OIL REFINERY.

TO FIGHT THE STANDARD OIL

INDUSTRY WILL BE CONDUCTED IN OPPOSITION TO THE ALLEGED BIG TRUST.

Topeka, Kan., Feb. 18.—Kansas' desire for an oil refinery of its own was realized during the day when Governor Hoch signed the bill appropriating \$200,000 for the erection and maintenance of a state plant, which was passed for the avowed purpose of fighting the Standard Oil company. In returning the law to the legislature after affixing his signature thereto, Governor Hoch sent with it a lengthy message in which he touched on the general question of trusts.

"No greater question," said he "confronts the American people than the control of these great aggregations of capital. We are all groping in the dark, but we will get out into the light after a while. This Kansas contribution to the solving of this great problem, may or may not be a wise one, but it is at least an honest and courageous one."

Governor Hoch said that the present legislation was not an attempt to drive the Standard Oil company from the state nor to deprive it of its rights, "It is not an attempt to establish a monopoly, but an attempt to compel a monopoly already existing to be decent."

He said that when normal conditions were again restored, the state would be glad to withdraw from the business of refining oil and leave it in the hands of the private competitors, "where it legitimately belongs."

Urges Further Legislation. Governor Hoch urged the legisla-

ture to go further and adopt other restrictive legislation to prevent the manipulation of railroad rates by the Standard Oil company.

Governor Hoch reviewed the Kansas oil situation at length, speaking of the fact that thousands of her citizens, encouraged by the Standard Oil company's offers of remunerative prices for the crude product, had invested their hard obtained savings in these fields.

"At the high tide of this prosperity," he says, "this great corporation, in harmony with its tactics elsewhere, commenced a systematic absorption of this vast wealth, which threatens to bankrupt the country's private investors and to depreciate and destroy the honest efforts of all the people for the rebuilding of that part of the state. Under one pretense or another crude oil has been depreciated more than one-half in price, while the finished product, kerosene, has been increased in cost to the consumer."

In conclusion Governor Hoch said: "It is due to this state to say that this movement has not been conceived, as many supposed and some charge, in the spirit of socialism."

Denver, Feb. 18.—A bill for the establishment of a state oil refinery was introduced in the Colorado legislature during the day by Representative Wilder. The bill provides for an appropriation of \$125,000 for the erection and operation of a refinery.

Fine Drawn. "You will observe that this is a very fine point." "It ought to be. You've strained it enough."—Cleveland Leader.

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8:25 P. M. Merrifield	8:25 A. M. Merrifield
8:50 P. M. Hubert	8:50 A. M. Hubert
9:15 P. M. Pequot	9:15 A. M. Pequot
9:40 P. M. Jenkins	9:40 A. M. Jenkins
10:05 P. M. Pine River	10:05 A. M. Pine River
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10:55 P. M. Haekensack	10:55 A. M. Haekensack
11:20 P. M. Walzer	11:20 A. M. Walzer
11:45 P. M. Kaskowia	11:45 A. M. Kaskowia
12:10 P. M. Backus	12:10 A. M. Backus
12:35 P. M. Lakeport	12:35 A. M. Lakeport
1:00 P. M. Guthrie	1:00 A. M. Guthrie
1:25 P. M. Mary	1:25 A. M. Mary
1:50 P. M. Bernadine	1:50 A. M. Bernadine
2:15 P. M. Mississippi	2:15 A. M. Mississippi
2:40 P. M. Turtle	2:40 A. M. Turtle
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DEED OF LONE TERRORIST

MAN CLAD IN THE ATTIRE OF A WORKINGMAN THREW THE FATAL MISSILE.

Moscow, Feb. 18.—Within the walls of the far-famed Kremlin palace, and almost underneath the historic tower from which Ivan the Terrible watched the heads of his enemies falling beneath the axe on the famous Red Square, and within a stone's throw of the great bell of Moscow, Grand Duke Sergius, uncle and brother-in-law of Emperor Nicholas and the chief of the reactionaries, met a terrible death shortly before 3 o'clock p. m. The deed was committed by a single terrorist, who threw beneath the carriage of the grand duke a bomb charged with the same high power explosive which wrought Minister von Plehve's death. The missile was packed with nails and fragments of iron and its explosion tore the imperial victim's body to ghastly fragments, which strewn the snow for yards around. Every window in the great lofty facade of the palace of justice was shattered and bits of iron were imbedded deeply in the walls of the arsenal, 100 yards away.

The assassin belongs to the noted "fighting group" of the Socialist Revolutionary party, which has removed other prominent officials and long since passed sentence of death upon Grand Duke Sergius. The grand duke knew that he stood in the shadow of death. He was the recipient of repeated warnings, and elaborate precautions were taken to insure his safety; but all the resources of the gendarmery, secret police and soldiers proved unavailable against an attempt almost exactly duplicating the procedure that caused the death of Minister of the Interior von Plehve last July.

### The Irony of Fate.

It was the irony of fate that Sergius, after taking refuge in his country villa during the strike troubles of a month ago, and later seeking even more secure shelter in the palace within the Kremlin walls, should be killed while proceeding to the governor general's palace beyond the walls, and which he had abandoned to enable the police to better protect him.

Grand Duchess Elizabeth, who has been engaged daily in the task of preparing comforts for the sick and wounded Russian soldiers in Manchuria, was about to drive to the palace to join her husband. When she heard of what had befallen the grand duke she was driven in haste to the scene of the tragedy and knelt hatless and careless on the bloodstained snow and murmured prayers for the welfare of the soul of her slain consort.

The scene of the crime was the great open triangle within the Kremlin, bounded by the arsenal treasury and courts of justice, in one angle of which is the Nicholas, or little palace, where the grand duke dwelt. At the opposite corner is the Nikolsky gate, the exit to the town beyond the ramparts.

A few minutes before the bell of the gate sounded the hour of 3 the equipage of the grand duke emerged from the gates of the palace and proceeded, followed by sleighs containing secret police. It swept at a smart pace toward the gate, passing the Chaudoff cloister, Ivan's tower, the great czar bell and long rows of cannon captured from Napoleon in the winter retreat of 1812.

### Threw the Fatal Bomb.

In a minute the carriage was in front of the courts of justice, where the walls of the triangle approach forming a narrow entrance to the Nikolsky gate. There a man clad in workman's attire stepped forward from the sidewalk and threw a bomb which he had concealed beneath his coat. A terrible explosion followed and a hail of iron pelted the grim stone walls of the arsenal and courts of justice. A thick cloud of smoke, snow and debris arose. When it had cleared a ghastly sight was presented.

On the snow lay fragments of the body of Grand Duke Sergius, mingled with the wreck of the carriage. The grand duke's head had been torn from

his body and reduced to a shapeless pulp and the trunk and limbs were frightfully mangled. A finger bearing a rich seal ring was found lying several yards away. The crimson tint and sickening smell of blood were everywhere. Only a few fragments of cloth indicated that the body had been once clothed.

The coachman lay moaning with pain beside a deep hole in the pavement. The horses, dragging the front wheels of the carriage, had dashed off maddened with pain to sink, dying before they reached the gate.

The sound of the explosion was heard throughout the city and even beyond the river. A crowd began to assemble and even to handle grim evidences of the tragedy while they discussed the affair in awe-struck voices. Police officials rapidly gathered, but before anything could be done toward collecting the scattered fragments of the body Grand Duchess Elizabeth drove up in an open carriage. She had dropped her work at the headquarters of the Red Cross and sped to the scene of the crime without waiting to don her outer wraps. She broke down entirely at the sight and dropped to her knees, sobbing bitterly. After a few minutes she was led away. Then a stretcher was brought and, covered with a plain soldier's cloak, the remains of Sergius were borne to the Choudoff cloister, where officials and members of the grand duke's suite had assembled.

### Assassin Thrown to the Ground.

The assassin was thrown to the ground and stunned by the force of the explosion; but he quickly arose and ran toward the gate, attempting to escape. His haste and the blood streaming from his face where he had been wounded by fragments of the bomb, attracted the attention of a sergeant of police, who seized him before he could draw his revolver. The man did not deny his crime, but, on the contrary, gloried in its success. He expressed his satisfaction that he had been able to kill the grand duke without involving the latter's innocent wife. He avowed his membership in the Social Revolutionary organization, but refused to give his name, and at the jail his papers were found to be forged.

The revolver with which the assassin was armed was an automatic magazine pistol of the same type as the weapon employed by Hohenthal, the assassin of Sotsialon Soininen, the procurator general of Finland, at Heisingfors on Feb. 6. His injuries are not serious.

The grand duke's coachman, who was badly injured, was removed to a hospital. Late at night he was still living.

The news of the tragedy spread rapidly to every quarter of the city, aided by extra editions of all the newspapers which appeared with deep black borders.

### Created Deepest Excitement.

Theatrical performances and all forms of social observances were immediately abandoned and theaters were ordered to remain closed until further notice. The affair created the deepest excitement. Immense crowds gathered in the vicinity of the Kremlin, where some factions began an attack on students and other representatives of the Liberal movement, while others eagerly grasped and read a revolutionary proclamation which had appeared as if by magic. So threatening became the attitude of the crowd that the authorities felt obliged to order the Kremlin cleared and the gates locked. The gates remained closed all night, obliging pedestrians and carriages to take roundabout routes instead of short cuts through the Kremlin precincts.

The police measures to preserve order have so far proved effective, and the city is reported perfectly quiet.

Early accounts of the tragedy attributed the crime to three men in a sleigh, but later it was developed that the three men were police agents appointed to guard the grand duke.

Shortly after the murder Grand Duchess Elizabeth, the two adopted children of Grand Duke Sergius, his staff officials and immediate servants assembled in the chapel, where a solemn requiem was celebrated. There was another service in the evening. A military guard of honor kept ward during the night.

## A DIRECT CHALLENGE

ASSASSINATION OF SERGIUS IS DEFI OF TERRORISTS TO THE AUTOCRACY.

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fect of the tragedy, some claiming that the killing of a member of the imperial family may cause Nicholas II. to revive a period of reaction, but this opinion is not generally shared.

The death of Grand Duke Sergius just at the time when the forces of liberalism were again in the supremacy and when the summoning of the zemsky zabor was actually assured, meets with universal disapprobation of the extreme Socialists, who denounce the crime equally as much as do the Liberals and Conservatives.

According to a high authority the decision had been already taken officially to summon the zemsky zabor on Feb. 22.

Prince Shirinski Schamathoff, who had an audience with Emperor Nicholas at the Tsarskoe Selo during the day, was frankly told by the emperor that the zemsky zabor would be elected under a class franchise by the nobles, clergy, merchants and peasants, but that all the deputies would sit together; and the committee of ministers was during the day charged by the emperor with the appointment of a committee to work up the details of the electoral machinery.

### News Brought to the Czar.

The news of the tragic death of his uncle was brought to the emperor while he was giving an audience to General Gripenberg, and caused him a great shock. By the emperor's direction the members of the imperial family who were at Tsarskoe Selo in connection with the visit of Prince Frederick Leopold of Prussia, were immediately summoned to the chapel, where a requiem was held. A state requiem, at which members of the diplomatic corps will be present, will be held during the day.

The funeral arrangements have not yet been made; but in accordance with tradition it probably will be on an imposing scale.

The body will probably lie in state several days in the Church of the Ascension in the Kremlin, where Emperor Nicholas was crowned. Thence it will be brought to St. Petersburg and placed in the Romanoff mausoleum in the great cathedral of St. Peter and St. Paul, inside the fortress.

The tragedy is the sole topic of conversation at the clubs and hotels.

The story is going the rounds that Grand Duke Sergius himself at the last moment, finding the tide against him, was won over to the plan of summoning the zemsky zabor and that he sent a messenger to Emperor Nicholas outlining his views as to the composition of the body. It is added that the messenger arrived at almost the same time that the bomb was thrown in Moscow. According to Sergius' plan it was proposed that each province should have six representatives in the convention, two of each class, the nobility, the merchants and the peasants.

All the theaters are closed and the period of court mourning will put an end to the little gaiety which so far has marked the social season at the Russian capital.

### MANIFESTO BY THE CZAR.

Laments the Tragic Death of Grand Duke Sergius.

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St. Petersburg, Feb. 18.—The strike is extending. About 2,400 employees of the Nevsky thread works joined in the movement at night. The strikers now total about 30,000. The temper of the men is more threatening and Cossacks and other troops have again been drafted into the city. The police are arresting the ringleaders. The employers regard the situation as critical.

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### LOCAL NEWS NOTES.

M. Sasgen returned from Minneapolis today.

Mrs. A. R. Cass left for St. Paul this afternoon.

H. Ray Palmer left for the south this afternoon.

J. C. Blecker was in the city today on business.

Jay Patek returned from the west this afternoon.

F. C. Butts returned from the west this afternoon.

Editor A. J. Halsted returned from the twin cities this afternoon.

G. W. Knox, of Aitkin, returned from the twin cities this afternoon.

W. J. Lewis, of Staples, was in the city this morning on business.

W. T. Orent was in the city yesterday afternoon calling on the trade.

George Madland went to St. Cloud yesterday afternoon on business.

Mrs. Chas. Rose went to St. Paul yesterday afternoon for a short visit.

Presiding Elder E. C. Clemans arrived from the south this afternoon.

Mrs. E. B. McCullough will entertain a few friends this evening at cards.

Mrs. Frank Powers, of Staples, is at the N. P. Sanitarium for treatment.

J. M. McCloskey is here from Minneapolis to look after some business interests.

W. W. Latta, of the Arena, left this afternoon for the twin cities for a few days' visit.

Nathan Noile, postoffice inspector, was in the city this morning, leaving on No. 6 for St. Paul.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Bailey returned from Aitkin and other points east where they have been visiting.

J. M. Graham, who was in the city for a few days on business left for the south this afternoon.

The presiding elder will meet the official board of the First M. E. church tonight at the church.

The Elks gave one of their delightful dancing parties last evening and there was a good attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Doble and son, of Rice, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Canfield.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Kulander, of Walker, passed through the city this afternoon en route to the cities on business.

C. E. Smith, paper hanger and painter, gave a dancing party at his home on the south side on Thursday evening.

Miss O'Brien returned from St. Paul this afternoon for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. D. O'Brien over Sunday.

Thos. Beare, the lessee of the new Ransford, arrived in the city this afternoon from Chicago where he has been ordering fixtures, etc., for his new hotel.

Karl Gerhardt, of Ramsey, N. D., has arrived in the city for a visit with his sister, Mrs. E. A. Lohn, whom he has not seen in years. He will spend some time here.

The Epworth League will give a concert on the night of March the 10th. Look out for the musical event for it will be one of the most pleasant entertainments of the season. Further particulars next week.

The men's meeting at the Y. M. C. A. tomorrow will be very interesting. The delegates who attended the big Y. M. C. A. convention at Duluth will report. Go and hear all about it. Extra singing. All men welcome.

Dr. W. A. Courtright, of Des Moines, Iowa, who announced in THE DISPATCH

some weeks ago that he would locate in Brainerd, arrived in the city this morning, and is now looking for suitable office rooms to practice his profession.

The Yeomen of this city held their regular meeting Wednesday evening. F. M. Cook of Brainerd was present. It was decided to give an entertainment at the next meeting, March 1. All members are instructed to bring their friends.

Mrs. M. J. Locke was called to Brainerd Sunday by the serious illness of her daughter, Mrs. A. Gould of Pine River, who is at present in a Brainerd hospital. Mrs. Gould is well known in Wadena, and her friends here hope she will recover speedily.—Wadena Pioneer.

Last Friday was the twentieth anniversary of the marriage of Dr. and Mrs. Walter Courtney, of Brainerd, and the event was celebrated by entertaining a few friends. The doctor is well known in Wadena, and his friends here wish him many happy returns of the day.—Wadena Pioneer.

Mrs. M. J. Reilly, Mrs. P. J. Murphy and Madeline Murphy left last night for Fond du Lac, Wis., where they will visit for a short time with Mr. and Mrs. Val Smith. They will return about the middle of next week and Mrs. Murphy will go to the coast to make her home for a time.

The second lecture by the pastor of the M. E. church, "The Great Hearts of Great Eras", given under the auspices of the Epworth League, will be given this evening of Friday the 24, instead of Wednesday the 22. The change is made to accommodate the Ladies' Aid which gives a Martha Washington supper that night at the home of Mrs. A. Paine 311, Fifth St. N.

Mrs. T. E. Smith entertained a party of ladies this afternoon at her home on Hartley St. S., in honor of Mrs. Emma French, who will leave in a few days for Nashville, Tenn., to make her home with her daughter, Mrs. Fox. Those present were Mesdames French, Dahin, Mahlum, Britton, Jones, Rose, Walker, Dressen, Erb, White, Purdy, Baker, Paine and Parker.

Mrs. C. W. Eastman entertained a large number of her lady friends yesterday afternoon at her pretty home on north Fifth street at a "500" party. Miss Bess Treglawny won the head prize and Mrs. Werner Hemstead the consolation prize. The home was prettily decorated and the refreshments served were exquisite. Mrs. Eastman proving herself an admirable hostess.

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St. Paul, Feb. 18.—After electing W. C. Whiteman president for the ensuing year and choosing over their expressed declarations to serve longer, C. P. Stine, as secretary, and H. P. Hall, as a member of the executive committee, the thirty-ninth annual meeting of the Minnesota Editorial association drew to a formal close at noon. But even though it was the formal adjournment, it was really the very beginning of the day's session, for the afternoon was spent at the new statehouse, where the editors viewed architectural and ornamental beauties of the building, partook in a mock session of the legislature and complimented the members of the capitol commission upon building so well.

Aside from the election of officers in the morning one paper was read, a constitution and a set of by-laws were adopted and a number of minor matters were disposed of. The election passed off quietly. The following officers were chosen:

President, W. C. Whiteman, Ortonville; vice presidents, C. A. French, Monticello; A. J. Halstead, Brainerd, and H. J. Peterson, Litchfield; secretary, C. P. Stine, St. Paul; treasurer, D. R. Ramaley, St. Paul; executive committee, H. P. Hall, C. C. Whitney and Frank Meyst.

The paper read by former Congressman Frank M. Eddy of Sauk Center, advised the publishers to unite in fighting the paper trust.

H. B. Herbert, now of Chicago, but president of the association in 1883, delivered a short address.

By a vote of the association \$25 was donated toward the Nye memorial monument fund, and resolutions were passed lending the association's sympathy to the movement for the establishment of quarters at the old soldiers' home for indigent wives, widows and mothers of veterans of the Civil war.

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Forecast—Generally fair and warmer.

Temperature (Record kept by Dr. J. C. Camp for 24 hours ending at 3 o'clock this afternoon)—Maximum 20 above zero; minimum 7 below zero.

### LOCAL NEWS NOTES.

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Mrs. A. R. Cass left for St. Paul this afternoon.

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G. W. Knox, of Aitkin, returned from the twin cities this afternoon.

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W. T. Orcutt was in the city yesterday afternoon calling on the trade.

George Madland went to St. Cloud yesterday afternoon on business.

Mrs. Chas. Rose went to St. Paul yesterday afternoon for a short visit.

Presiding Elder E. C. Clemans arrived from the south this afternoon.

Mrs. E. B. McCullough will entertain a few friends this evening at cards.

Mrs. Frank Powers, of Staples, is at the N. P. Sanitarium for treatment.

J. M. McCloskey is here from Minneapolis to look after some business interests.

W. W. Latta, of the Arena, left this afternoon for the twin cities for a few days' visit.

Nathan Noile, postoffice inspector, was in the city this morning, leaving on No. 6 for St. Paul.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Bailey returned from Aitkin and other points east where they have been visiting.

J. M. Graham, who was in the city for a few days on business left for the south this afternoon.

The presiding elder will meet the official board of the First M. E. church tonight at the church.

The Elks gave one of their delightful dancing parties last evening and there was a good attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Doble and son, of Rice, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Canfield.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Kulander, of Walker, passed through the city this afternoon en route to the cities on business.

C. E. Smith, paper hanger and painter, gave a dancing party at his home on the south side on Thursday evening.

Miss O'Brien returned from St. Paul this afternoon for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. D. O'Brien over Sunday.

Thos. Beare, the lessee of the new Ransford, arrived in the city this afternoon from Chicago where he has been ordering fixtures, etc., for his new hotel.

Karl Gerhardt, of Ramsey, N. D., has arrived in the city for a visit with his sister, Mrs. E. A. Lohn, whom he has not seen in years. He will spend some time here.

The Epworth League will give a concert on the night of March the 10th. Look out for the musical event for it will be one of the most pleasant entertainments of the season. Further particulars next week.

The men's meeting at the Y. M. C. A. tomorrow will be very interesting. The delegates who attended the big Y. M. C. A. convention at Duluth will report. Go and hear all about it. Extra singing. All men welcome.

Dr. W. A. Courtright, of Des Moines, Iowa, who announced in THE DISPATCH

some weeks ago that he would locate in Brainerd, arrived in the city this morning, and is now looking for suitable office rooms to practice his profession.

The Yeomen of this city held their regular meeting Wednesday evening. F. M. Cook of Brainerd was present. It was decided to give an entertainment at the next meeting, March 1. All members are instructed to bring their friends.

Mrs. M. J. Locke was called to Brainerd Sunday by the serious illness of her daughter, Mrs. A. Gould of Pine River, who is at present in a Brainerd hospital. Mrs. Gould is well known in Wadena, and her friends here hope she will recover speedily.—Wadena Pioneer.

Last Friday was the twentieth anniversary of the marriage of Dr. and Mrs. Walter Courtney, of Brainerd, and the event was celebrated by entertaining a few friends. The doctor is well known in Wadena, and his friends here wish him many happy returns of the day.—Wadena Pioneer.

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The second lecture by the pastor of the M. E. church, "The Great Hearts of Great Eras", given under the auspices of the Epworth League, will be given the evening of Friday the 24, instead of Wednesday the 22. The change is made to accommodate the Ladies' Aid which gives a Martha Washington supper that night at the home of Mrs. A. Paine 311, Fifth St. N.

Mrs. T. E. Smith entertained a party of ladies this afternoon at her home on Hartley St. S., in honor of Mrs. Emma French, who will leave in a few days for Nashville, Tenn., to make her home with her daughter, Mrs. Fox. Those present were Mesdames French, Dahin, Mahlum, Britton, Jones, Rose, Walker, Dressen, Erb, White, Purdy, Baker, Paine and Parker.

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Aside from the election of officers in the morning one paper was read, a constitution and a set of by-laws were adopted and a number of minor matters were disposed of. The election passed off quietly. The following officers were chosen:

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The paper read by Former Congressman Frank M. Eddy of Sauk Center, advised the publishers to unite in fighting the paper trust.

H. B. Herbert, now of Chicago, but president of the association in 1883, delivered a short address.

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### THE DAILY DISPATCH.

BY INGERSOLL & WIELAND.

E. O. GRIFFITH, City Editor.

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SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 1905.



#### Weather

Forecast—Generally fair and warmer.  
Temperature (Record kept by Dr. J. C. Camp for 24 hours ending at 3 o'clock this afternoon)—Maximum 20 above zero; minimum 7 below zero.

#### LOCAL NEWS NOTES.

M. Sasgen returned from Minneapolis today.

Mrs. A. R. Cass left for St. Paul this afternoon.

H. Ray Palmer left for the south this afternoon.

J. C. Bleeker was in the city today on business.

Jay Patek returned from the west this afternoon.

F. C. Butts returned from the west this afternoon.

Editor A. J. Halsted returned from the twin cities this afternoon.

G. W. Knox, of Aitkin, returned from the twin cities this afternoon.

W. J. Lewis, of Staples, was in the city this morning on business.

W. T. Orcutt was in the city yesterday afternoon calling on the trade.

George Madland went to St. Cloud yesterday afternoon on business.

Mrs. Chas. Rose went to St. Paul yesterday afternoon for a short visit.

Presiding Elder E. C. Clemans arrived from the south this afternoon.

Mrs. E. B. McCullough will entertain a few friends this evening at cards.

Mrs. Frank Powers, of Staples, is at the N. P. Sanitarium for treatment.

J. M. McCloskey is here from Minneapolis to look after some business interests.

W. W. Latta, of the Arena, left this afternoon for the twin cities for a few days' visit.

Nathan Noile, postoffice inspector, was in the city this morning, leaving on No. 6 for St. Paul.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Bailey returned from Aitkin and other points east where they have been visiting.

J. M. Graham, who was in the city for a few days on business left for the south this afternoon.

The presiding elder will meet the official board of the First M. E. church tonight at the church.

The Elks gave one of their delightful dancing parties last evening and there was a good attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Doble and son, of Rice, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Canfield.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Kulander, of Walker, passed through the city this afternoon en route to the cities on business.

C. E. Smith, paper hanger and painter, gave a dancing party at his home on the south side on Thursday evening.

Miss O'Brien returned from St. Paul this afternoon for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. D. O'Brien over Sunday.

Thos. Beare, the lessee of the new Ransford, arrived in the city this afternoon from Chicago where he has been ordering fixtures, etc., for his new hotel.

Karl Gerhardt, of Ramsey, N. D., has arrived in the city for a visit with his sister, Mrs. E. A. Lohn, whom he has not seen in years. He will spend some time here.

The Epworth League will give a concert on the night of March the 10th. Look out for the musical event for it will be one of the most pleasant entertainments of the season. Further particulars next week.

The men's meeting at the Y. M. C. A. tomorrow will be very interesting. The delegates who attended the big Y. M. C. A. convention at Duluth will report. Go and hear all about it. Extra singing. All men welcome.

Dr. W. A. Courtright, of Des Moines, Iowa, who announced in THE DISPATCH

some weeks ago that he would locate in Brainerd, arrived in the city this morning, and is now looking for suitable office rooms to practice his profession.

The Yeomen of this city held their regular meeting Wednesday evening. F. M. Cook of Brainerd was present. It was decided to give an entertainment at the next meeting, March 1. All members are instructed to bring their friends.

Mrs. M. J. Locke was called to Brainerd Sunday by the serious illness of her daughter, Mrs. A. Gould of Pine River, who is at present in a Brainerd hospital. Mrs. Gould is well known in Wadena, and her friends here hope she will recover speedily.—Wadena Pioneer.

Last Friday was the twentieth anniversary of the marriage of Dr. and Mrs. Walter Courtney, of Brainerd, and the event was celebrated by entertaining a few friends. The doctor is well known in Wadena, and his friends here wish him many happy returns of the day.—Wadena Pioneer.

Mrs. M. J. Reilly, Mrs. P. J. Murphy and Madeline Murphy left last night for Fond du Lac, Wis., where they will visit for a short time with Mr. and Mrs. Val Smith. They will return about the middle of next week and Mrs. Murphy will go to the coast to make her home for a time.

The second lecture by the pastor of the M. E. church, "The Great Hearts of Great Eras", given under the auspices of the Epworth League, will be given the evening of Friday the 24, instead of Wednesday the 22. The change is made to accommodate the Ladies' Aid which gives a Martha Washington supper that night at the home of Mrs. A. Paine 311, Fifth St. N.

Mrs. T. E. Smith entertained a party of ladies this afternoon at her home on Hartley St. S., in honor of Mrs. Emma French, who will leave in a few days for Nashville, Tenn., to make her home with her daughter, Mrs. Fox. Those present were Mesdames French, Dahin, Mahlum, Britton, Jones, Rose, Walker, Dressen, Erb, White, Purdy, Baker, Paine and Parker.

Mrs. C. W. Eastman entertained a large number of her lady friends yesterday afternoon at her pretty home on north Fifth street at a "500" party. Miss Bess Treglawny won the head prize and Mrs. Werner Hemstead the consolation prize. The home was prettily decorated and the refreshments served were exquisite. Mrs. Eastman proving herself an admirable hostess.

Agonizing Burns.

are instantly relieved, and perfectly healed, by Bucklen's Arnica Salve. C. Rivenbark, Jr., of Norfolk, Va., writes: "I burnt my knee dreadfully; that it blistered all over. Bucklen's Arnica Salve stopped the pain, and healed it without a scar." Also heals all wounds and sores, 25c at H. P. Dunn & Co., druggists.

Stop at Hotel Boardman, St. Paul. Modern and up-to-date European Hotel.

Winter coughs are apt to result in consumption if neglected. They can be soon broken up by using Foley's Honey and Tar. H. P. Dunn & Co.

Whiteman Chosen President.

Ortonville Man Is Head of Minnesota Editorial Association.

St. Paul, Feb. 18.—After electing W. C. Whiteman president for the ensuing year and choosing over their expressed declarations to serve longer. C. P. Stine, as secretary, and H. P. Hall, as a member of the executive committee, the thirty-ninth annual meeting of the Minnesota Editorial association drew to a formal close at noon. But even though it was the formal adjournment, it was really the very beginning of the day's session, for the afternoon was spent at the new statehouse, where the editors viewed architectural and ornamental beauties of the building, partook in a mock session of the legislature and complimented the members of the capitol commission upon building so well.

Aside from the election of officers in the morning one paper was read, a constitution and a set of by-laws were adopted and a number of minor matters were disposed of. The election passed off quietly. The following officers were chosen:

President, W. C. Whiteman, Ortonville; vice presidents, C. A. French, Monticello; A. J. Halstead, Brainerd, and H. J. Peterson, Litchfield; secretary, C. P. Stine, St. Paul; treasurer, D. R. Ramsey, St. Paul; executive committee, H. P. Hall, C. C. Whitney and Frank Meyst.

The paper read by Former Congressman Frank M. Eddy of Sauk Center, advised the publishers to unite in fighting the paper trust.

H. B. Herbert, now of Chicago, but president of the association in 1883, delivered a short address.

By a vote of the association \$25 was donated toward the Nye memorial monument fund, and resolutions were passed lending the association's sympathy to the movement for the establishment of quarters at the old soldiers' home for indigent wives, widows and mothers of veterans of the Civil war.

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The most reliable preparation for kidney troubles on the market is Foley's Kidney Cure. H. P. Dunn & Co.

Card tables for rent at D. M. Clark & Co. 172tf

#### DEPRESSING EFFECT ON TRADE.

Cold and Stormy Weather Responsible for Dullness.

New York, Feb. 18.—Bradstreet's weekly review of trade says cold, stormy weather, the most severe and widely distributed in some respects of the winter, has had a depressing effect on the trade at wholesale and retail centers and has disorganized railroad transportation in some sections and thereby interfered with various lines of industry, such as coal mining, coke and iron manufacturing and shipping, heretofore active. Relatively the worst effects on opening spring trade are noted in the Northwest and West, but the Southwest and South have suffered severely and the East and Northeast have felt the effect in only a slighter degree. The result is a curtailment in the activities of salesmen over a wide area, which, taken in conjunction with the occurrence of a holiday in many states, has reduced the week's trade to very small proportions. Despite this drawback, however, some favorable features come to light upon examination. The iron and steel situation is, if anything, rather stronger. Railway earnings for January, though reflecting storm and grain rate troubles, show a gain of 6 per cent, this, however, comparing with a decrease of 3.8 per cent in the same month a year ago. An encouraging feature in the dry goods trade at the East is the increased industry for cotton goods for export to China and other countries.

#### TRIED TO WRECK BUILDINGS.

Prisoner at Fort Snelling Makes Good His Escape.

St. Paul, Feb. 18.—After making a deliberate attempt to wreck the administration building and burn the post hall, Frank Howe, a general prisoner, serving a two-year term in the garrison prison, made good his escape from Fort Snelling early in the evening, with Private John T. Kearns, Company C. Twenty-eighth infantry, the sentry who was guarding him. The men let most of the water out of the boilers in the administration building and then built up a big fire, with the idea of having the boilers explode. They then scattered live coals over the floor of the post hall in order to set it on fire. Both attempts were frustrated.

Hundreds of thousands of people use Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea as a family tonic. If taken this month it will keep the family well all summer. If it fails get your money back. 35 cents, H. P. Dunn & Co.

#### A GOOD THING

All hail to the land, on freedom bent.  
That yields such flour, as Occident.  
It never makes the housewife mad.  
The husband works for he is glad.  
Never a man, that did invent,  
A better flour than OCCIDENT.

Foley's Honey and Tar cures the cough caused by attack of la grippe. It heals the lungs. H. P. Dunn & Co.

THE DAILY DISPATCH brought to your door for only 40 cents per month.

To late to cure a cold after consumption has fastened its deadly grip on the lungs. Take Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup while yet there is time.

#### TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

At San Francisco, Sam Berger, the amateur champion heavyweight, knocked out Jim Casey Friday night in the first round after two minutes' fighting.

The funeral services of William Cullen Bryant, publisher of the Brooklyn Times, were held Friday night at St. John's Methodist Episcopal church, Brooklyn.

Dr. John H. Grannis, said to have been the first Union soldier to enter the town of Gettysburg at the time of the battle, died at Saybrook, Conn., Friday, aged sixty.

From 2 until 5 o'clock Friday afternoon hundreds of people viewed the remains of General Lew Wallace which lay in state in the author's home at Crawfordsville, Ind.

Give the children Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea this month. It makes them grow and gives them rosy cheeks. There is no other medicine in the world so good for the children. 35 cents. Tea or Tablets. H. P. Dunn & Co.

The DISPATCH will be delivered at your door for 40 cents per month.

#### JAY COOK IS DEAD.

Famous Financier Passes Away in a Philadelphia Suburb.

Philadelphia, Feb. 17.—Jay Cooke, whose fame as a financier is worldwide, died during the night at the home of his son-in-law, Charles D. Barney, at Ogontz, a suburb of this city. Mr. Cooke was eighty-three years of age. He had been complaining of the result of general debility, the result of old age, for several years. His condition was not considered serious, however, and his death came rather sudden.

#### Definition.

Smart—Why do you refer to Mrs. Toss as a hay widow? Tart—Because hay is grass with all the greenness dried out.—New York Times.

#### REPRESENTATIVE TO GO

R. R. Wise, Chairman of the Public Affairs Committee, of the Commercial Club Taking up Base Ball Matter

R. R. Wise, chairman of the public affairs committee of the Commercial Club, has been interesting himself somewhat in the matter of getting Brainerd into the Northern Base Ball League and from present indications it would seem as though someone would surely attend the meeting at Fargo a week from today. It is believed that when the matter is explained thoroughly to the business men and others that the matter will be taken up.

#### Poisons in Food.

Perhaps you don't realize that many pain poisons originate in your food, but some day you may feel a twinge of dyspepsia that will convince you. Dr. King's New Life Pills are guaranteed to cure all sickness due to poison of undigested food—or money back. 25c at H. P. Dunn & Co.'s drug store. Try them.

#### MUSIC AND DRAMA.

##### "THE VIRGINIAN."

An eminent critic of letters has said concerning "The Virginian," which is to be the bill at the Brainerd opera house Thursday, Feb. 23. "Mr. Wister's hero, the Virginian, is the ideal American and should live in our regard as a national type as long as Rip Van Winkle has done. Of the million and a half readers of this book, it is safe to say that not one finishes the story without a heart-throb of genuine love for this simple, generous, chivalrous and withal rugged young knight of the west. No character in fiction in fifty years has so completely won the hearts of feminine readers."

Mr. La Shelle promises a faithful transcription to the stage of the values of Mr. Wister's book, and he believes that he has in Mr. Dustin Farnum the one man in America who could realize the trying role of the Virginian.

A friend of Mr. Wister's recently asked him about this man chosen to impersonate the Virginian. "Can he be the Virginian?" he asked.

"There is one thing and one only that prevents him from being the Virginian," said Mr. Wister, "and that is that he is Farnum." Prices \$1.50 to 50.

Only one remedy in world that will at once stop itchiness of the skin in any part of the body; Doan's Ointment. At any drug store, 50 cents.

#### CONTROVERSY AT AN END.

Senate Recedes From Its Amendment to Dingley Law.

Washington, Feb. 18.—The senate during the day passed the bill appropriating \$9,940,000 for the District of Columbia and the diplomatic and consular appropriation bill carrying \$2,156,000. The District bill had been before the senate for several days and had been much debated. The diplomatic bill received the attention of the senate for only twelve minutes and was passed without discussion. A special feature of the day was the acceptance of the statue of Frances E. Willard, the distinguished temperance advocate, which had been placed in statutory hall in the national capitol by the state of Illinois. Notwithstanding there are about forty pedestals in the hall, the statue of Miss Willard is the first of a woman to find a place there and the members of her sex showed their appreciation of the compliment by turning out in large numbers to listen to the eulogistic addresses made in connection with the ceremony.

One witness was heard during the day in the Swayne impeachment trial and an hour was spent in secret session in an effectual effort to determine the admissibility as evidence of Judge Swayne's statement before a committee of the house.

The senate terminated its controversy with the house over the amendment construing the paragraph in the Dingley law relating to the drawback on imported wheat by receding from the amendment inserted in the agricultural appropriation bill as it passed the house.

What's the secret of happy, vigorous health? Simply keeping the bowels the stomach, the liver and kidneys strong and active. Burdock Blood Bitters does it.

#### RUSSIAN CAVALRYMEN ACTIVE.

But the Japs Do Not Look for Serious Trouble With Them.

General Oku's Headquarters, Feb. 17, via Fusan.—A group of Russian cavalry has apparently again begun activity on the Japanese left. Details regarding the strength and movements of the cavalry have not been obtained, but the utter failure of the last raid induces the belief that little is to be feared from the present attempt. On the front of the line it has been absolutely quiet for several days. The weather is moderating and the snow is practically gone.

#### The Woodchuck Is Lazy.

There is no animal that exerts less energy in the course of a year than the woodchuck. He feeds upon the best in the meadow and occasionally in the garden, being very fond of the juicy peas and beans and tender lettuce. Then as winter comes on he forgets all care and worry, crawls into his burrow and, like the bear, falls asleep, not to awaken till spring.—St. Nicholas.

## Cale's Department Store

### Stores for Rent. Fixtures for Sale

Will retire from mercantile business. Will make prices to sell goods. Come and see us. Good goods at less than they are worth

A few prices as follows:

California Naval Oranges	15c
per doz.....	
New York Baldwin Apples	30c
per peck.....	
Strictly Fresh Ranch Eggs	25c
.....	
Extra Creamery Butter	25c
per lb.....	
Fancy Sugar Cured Hams	11c
.....	
Silverleaf Lard	9c
in bulk.....	
Best 2 lb. Can Corn	8c
Capitol Brand.....	
3 lb. Can Standard Tomatoes	9c
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Columbia River Salmon	10c
only.....	
Fancy Mackerel	15c
.....	

### Dry Goods Department.

Big bargains in Dry Goods, Shoes, Hosiery, Gents' and Ladies' Underwear. Goods must be sold. Call and see us. You surely will be pleased.

A few prices in Dry Goods:

Best Prints, only, per yd.....	5c
Checked Gingham, per yd.....	5c
Coates Thread, only, per spool.....	4c
LL Sheetting, 1 yd wide, only.....	5c
10c Outing Flannel, only.....	7c
First of Loom Muslin, only.....	8c

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## SPECIAL SALE

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## SILKS

Our first shipment of Silks for the popular ladies' shirt waist suits will be open for your inspection, in many of the new dainty designs—changeable and two tone effects.

Respectfully yours

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## PEARCE BLOCK GUTTED AGAIN

Fire Did Damage in this Block Last Night Aggregating About \$9,000

MANY TENANTS LOSE HEAVILY Building is Damaged in the Neighborhood of About \$3,000—Fully Covered.

Loss	Ins.
Pearce block.....\$3000	\$4100
Mrs. Pearce, millinery.....1500	1500
H. Moberg, saloon.....1000	1500
F. J. Murphy, plumber.....500	800
W. S. Orne, stock.....300	150
J. A. Stepp, Bakery.....300	300
J. M. Peterson, H. H. Gds. 800	none
Mrs. J. G. McGarry H. H. Gds. 250	"
Mrs. J. M. Canfield, H. H. Gds. 250	"
James O'Connell, H. H. Gds. 400	"
Mrs. Stella Wood.....500	"
\$8800	\$8350

For the second time in less than a year the Pearce block was gutted last night and the losses reported by the occupants, as well as J. K. Pearce, who owns the building, will exceed those of the fire last summer. It is estimated that the loss last night will reach nearly \$9,000, in round numbers, \$8,900.

The fire was first discovered at about 7 o'clock, when the alarm was turned in, and when the department arrived smoke was pouring out of the basement windows under the Henry Moberg saloon on the corner and, in fact, from under all the stores. It was but a short time before the fire had eaten its way into the walls of the building and it being a brick veneered structure it was extremely difficult for the firemen to get at the real source. The firemen, however, did excellent service and the wonder was this morning, when the building was inspected by daylight, that the whole was not reduced to ashes.

J. W. Stepp was the last known person to have gone into the basement. He went down to attend to the furnace about 6:30 or 6:45 o'clock and at that time there was not a sign of smoke or fire. At 7 o'clock the whole basement seemed to be ablaze. The stores in the building had all been closed and the occupants had gone to their various homes except the saloon of Henry Moberg on the corner. Mr. Moberg, in the twinkling of an eye, was obliged to vacate the building, for it filled up with smoke so rapidly that no time was had to carry anything out.

Every room and store in the building was occupied and as soon as the alarm was turned in there was a scramble to get out. Some of those on the second floor had hardly any time to get out and no one saved anything at all.

Those who will suffer the severest losses are those who occupied rooms on the second floor, as very little or no insurance was carried.

It was not long after the fire department arrived before they had the fire virtually under control but great torrents of water had to be poured into the building in order to quench the seething flames which were working themselves in between the brick and the walls. By 9 o'clock the fire was all out, however, but at that hour it was difficult to determine the exact loss for the lights had been cut out and little could be told of the havoc that had been played by the use of a large amount of water and to what extent the various stocks of goods had been damaged by smoke.

### DAMAGE TO BUILDING.

It is estimated that the damage on the building will reach \$3,000 and it may run over this amount. Mr. Pearce carried an aggregate of \$4,100 on the building so that the loss is fully covered. The greatest damage to the building is from water, the walls and ceilings in most instances being soaked. The second floor is even more badly damaged than the first floor.

It was only last summer that this building was damaged by fire before and the loss was approximately about the same as that caused by the fire last night. Mr. Pearce had made many improvements since the fire last summer, however, with the result that it was in pretty good shape up to last night.

### TENANTS ARE HEAVY LOSERS.

The tenants or roomers on the second floor of the building are heavy losers, some of them having sustained losses in the fire last summer also. Mrs. Stella Woods, who occupied the rooms up stairs on the corner over the Moberg saloon is extremely unfortunate. It is thought that her loss will be at least \$500 and she has not a cents worth of insurance. Her furniture throughout was badly damaged and she and her children barely escaped with their lives. They did not save any of their wearing apparel and it is an extremely unfortunate case.

Mrs. J. M. Canfield and Mrs. H. G. McGarry occupied rooms on the second floor also. They lost heavily, as the suite of rooms they were in were quite nicely furnished. It is estimated their loss will reach from \$500 to \$800 and they carried no insurance.

Mr. and Mrs. James O'Connell lost all they had, a lot of new furniture and wearing apparel. They did not carry any insurance and their loss will approximate \$500.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Peterson, who had rooms over the Pearce millinery store, are also heavy losers and the total loss it is thought will reach \$800. They had no insurance.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stepp were more fortunate than any of the tenants in the building. The fire being more at the east end of the building than the west they escaped the deluge that followed after the alarm had been turned in. Mr. Stepp had placed insurance on his furniture, so he is protected. His loss will be about \$50.

Mrs. J. K. Pearce's stock of millinery was badly damaged and it is thought that the loss will aggregate about \$1,200 or \$1,500, but she is fully covered by insurance, having \$1,500 in the R. G. Valentyne agency on the stock and \$500 in the Henry I. Cohen agency.

F. J. Murphy and W. S. Orne were again badly scorched. These gentlemen have been extremely unfortunate, this making the third fire they have been in within about a year. F. J. Murphy carried about \$800 on his plumbing stock and it is estimated that his loss will reach \$500. The W. S. Orne stock of machines, etc., was damaged to the extent of about \$300. Mr. Orne carried but \$150 insurance.

The Henry Moberg saloon on the corner looked like a cyclone had struck it. Here the greatest damage is from water and smoke. He carries \$1,500 on the stock and fixtures and it is thought that his loss will be about \$1,000.

### ONE NARROW ESCAPE.

When the fire started Mrs. Canfield and Mrs. McGarry were at Mrs. C. W. Eastman's party and the little daughter of Mrs. Canfield was staying with Mrs. Wood, who has rooms on the corner. It is said that the smoke got so bad before Mrs. Wood and all the children got out that the little Canfield girl had to be carried down a ladder. The aged mother of Mrs. Wood was also nearly over-

come with smoke, but she was taken out in safety.

### GOOD WORK OF FIREMEN.

The wonder is this morning that the building and all its contents was not reduced to ashes, as it certainly looked as though it was pulled through an avalanche of fire. The firemen did most excellent work and they are being praised on all sides. The origin of the fire is not known, but some of the firemen think that it caught from the furnace.

### FIREMAN WAS OVERCOME.

P. A. Johnson, one of the firemen, was overcome with smoke and was taken from the building unconscious. He was carried across the street into the Mahlum building and Dr. Thabes was called. It took some time to revive him.

### Fraud Exposed.

A few counterfeiters have lately been making and trying to sell imitations of Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, and other medicines, thereby defrauding the public. This is to warn you to beware of such people, who seek to profit, through stealing the reputation of remedies which have been successfully curing disease, for over 35 years. A sure protection, to you, is our name on the wrapper. Look for it, on all Dr. King's, or Bucklen's remedies, as all other are mere imitations. H. E. Bucklen & Co., Chicago, Ill., and Winter, Canada. H. P. Dunn & Co.

### CONTRACTOR NELSON LEAVES

Gentleman Who Had Charge of Work of New Ransford Left Today for His Home at Perham.

Contractor Alex Nelson left this afternoon for his home at Perham. He has had charge of the work of erecting the new Ransford hotel for R. R. Wise in this city. Mr. Nelson is considered one of the best men in his line in the north-west and his work in connection with the Ransford has certainly demonstrated this fact. The hotel is a model of excellent workmanship throughout. Mr. Nelson was no experiment with Mr. Wise, for he is the man who had charge of the Waldorf at Fargo. It is barely possible that the gentleman will return to Brainerd again in about a week to take charge of the work of the erection of the building on the corner.

Mothers can safely give Foley's Honey and Tar to their children for coughs and colds, for it contains no opiates or other poisons. H. P. Dunn & Co.

### COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

Proceeding of the Board of County Commissioners. Meeting Held February 17th, 1905.

Pursuant to call for special meeting board met at 2 o'clock p. m. to consider the petition for ditch No. 3, all members present except Commissioner Reid. Whereupon Commissioner Gardner moved that the engineer's and viewer's report be accepted, and said ditch established, which motion was duly carried.

Board adjourned sine die.

A. MAHLUM,  
County Auditor.

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When the fire started Mrs. Canfield and Mrs. McGarry were at Mrs. C. W. Eastman's party and the little daughter of Mrs. Canfield was staying with Mrs. Wood, who has rooms on the corner. It is said that the smoke got so bad before Mrs. Wood and all the children got out that the little Canfield girl had to be carried down a ladder. The aged mother of Mrs. Wood was also nearly over-

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It is estimated that the damage on the building will reach \$3,000 and it may run over this amount. Mr. Pearce carried an aggregate of \$4,100 on the building so that the loss is fully covered. The greatest damage to the building is from water, the walls and ceilings in most instances being soaked. The second floor is even more badly damaged than the first floor.

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### TENANTS ARE HEAVY LOSERS.

The tenants or roomers on the second floor of the building are heavy losers, some of them having sustained losses in the fire last summer also. Mrs. Stella Woods, who occupied the rooms up stairs on the corner over the Moberg saloon is extremely unfortunate. It is thought that her loss will be at least \$500 and she has not a cent's worth of insurance. Her furniture throughout was badly damaged and she and her children barely escaped with their lives. They did not save any of their wearing apparel and it is an extremely unfortunate case.

Mrs. J. M. Canfield and Mrs. H. G. McGarry occupied rooms on the second floor also. They lost heavily, as the suite of rooms they were in were quite nicely furnished. It is estimated their loss will reach from \$500 to \$800 and they carried no insurance.

Mr. and Mrs. James O'Connell lost all they had, a lot of new furniture and wearing apparel. They did not carry any insurance and their loss will approximate \$500.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Peterson, who had rooms over the Pearce millinery store, are also heavy losers and the total loss it is thought will reach \$800. They had no insurance.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stepp were more fortunate than any of the tenants in the building. The fire being more at the east end of the building than the west they escaped the deluge that followed after the alarm had been turned in. Mr. Stepp had placed insurance on his furniture, so he is protected. His loss will be about \$50.

Mrs. J. K. Pearce's stock of millinery was badly damaged and it is thought that the loss will aggregate about \$1,200 or \$1,500, but she is fully covered by insurance, having \$1,500 in the R. G. Valentine agency on the stock and \$500 in the Henry I. Cohen agency.

F. J. Murphy and W. S. Orne were again badly scorched. These gentlemen have been extremely unfortunate, this making the third fire they have been in within about a year. F. J. Murphy carried about \$800 on his plumbing stock and it is estimated that his loss will reach \$500. The W. S. Orne stock of machines, etc., was damaged to the extent of about \$300. Mr. Orne carried but \$150 insurance.

The Henry Moberg saloon on the corner looked like a cyclone had struck it. Here the greatest damage is from water and smoke. He carries \$1,500 on the stock and fixtures and it is thought that his loss will be about \$1,000.

### ONE NARROW ESCAPE.

When the fire started Mrs. Canfield and Mrs. McGarry were at Mrs. C. W. Eastman's party and the little daughter of Mrs. Canfield was staying with Mrs. Wood, who has rooms on the corner. It is said that the smoke got so bad before Mrs. Wood and all the children got out that the little Canfield girl had to be carried down a ladder. The aged mother of Mrs. Wood was also nearly over-

come with smoke, but she was taken out in safety.

### GOOD WORK OF FIREMEN.

The wonder is this morning that the building and all its contents was not reduced to ashes, as it certainly looked as though it was pulled through an avalanche of fire. The firemen did most excellent work and they are being praised on all sides. The origin of the fire is not known, but some of the firemen think that it caught from the furnace.

### FIREMAN WAS OVERCOME.

P. A. Johnson, one of the firemen, was overcome with smoke and was taken from the building unconscious. He was carried across the street into the Mahlum building and Dr. Thabes was called. It took some time to revive him.

### Fraud Exposed.

A few counterfeiters have lately been making and trying to sell imitations of Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, and other medicines, thereby defrauding the public. This is to warn you to beware of such people, who seek to profit through stealing the reputation of remedies which have been successfully curing disease, for over 35 years. A sure protection, to you, is our name on the wrapper. Look for it, on all Dr. King's, or Bucklen's remedies, as all other are mere imitations. H. E. Bucklen & Co., Chicago, Ill., and Winter, Canada. H. P. Dunn & Co.

### CONTRACTOR NELSON LEAVES

Gentleman Who Had Charge of Work of New Ransford Left Today for His Home at Perham.

Contractor Alex Nelson left this afternoon for his home at Perham. He has had charge of the work of erecting the new Ransford hotel for R. R. Wise in this city. Mr. Nelson is considered one of the best men in his line in the northwest and his work in connection with the Ransford has certainly demonstrated this fact. The hotel is a model of excellent workmanship throughout. Mr. Nelson was no experiment with Mr. Wise, for he is the man who had charge of the Waldorf at Fargo. It is barely possible that the gentleman will return to Brainerd again in about a week to take charge of the work of the erection of the building on the corner.

Mothers can safely give Foley's Honey and Tar to their children for coughs and colds, for it contains no opiates or other poisons. H. P. Dunn & Co.

### COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

Proceeding of the Board of County Commissioners. Meeting Held February 17th, 1905.

Pursuant to call for special meeting board met at 2 o'clock p. m. to consider the petition for ditch No. 3, all members present except Commissioner Reid. Whereupon Commissioner Gardner moved that the engineer's and viewer's report be accepted, and said ditch established, which motion was duly carried.

Board adjourned sine die. A. MAHLUM, County Auditor.

Scald head is an eczema of the scalp—very severe sometimes, but it can be cured. Doan's Ointment, quick and permanent in its results. At any drug store, 50 cents.

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### County Orders Called.

All orders on "county revenue fund" registered on or before Feb. 1st 1905, are called for payment, and interest will cease in 30 days from this date.

S. R. ADAIR, Co. Treasurer.

Dated at Brainerd, Crow Wing Co., Feb. 15, 1905.

# THE NEW STORE

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## First Semi-Annual Clearance Sale

Commencing Tuesday, Feb. 14, Closing Tuesday, Feb. 28

## A Genuine Reliable Sale.

You all know my stock is entirely new. I opened up Sept. 6, 1904, with a brand new stock of Men's and Boys' Merchandise. Good Goods is my motto.

Now to clean up my winter stock consisting of Rubbers, Overshoes, Underwear, Mitts, Socks, Sheep Lined Coats, Mackinaws, Caps, Overcoats, Sweaters, Duck Coats, Shoes, Sheep Sox, Leggings—I offer all I have left in winter goods at greatly reduced prices.

Here are listed a few of my many bargains.

25c Mitts and Socks.....	18c	\$2.00 Suit of Underwear....	\$1.50
50c Mitts and Socks.....	35c	\$3.50 North Star Mackinaws	\$2.50
\$1.00 Mitts.....	75c	\$1.50 Men's Overshoes.....	\$1.15
\$1.00 Sweaters.....	75c	\$1.50 Men's Low Rubbers....	\$1.32
75c and 85c Childs' Sweaters..	45c	\$1.75 Gold Seal Low Rubbers	\$1.60
50c Boys' & Childs' Sweaters..	35c	\$2.50 Gold Seal Top Rubbers	\$2.15
50c Knit Stocking Caps.....	35c	\$15.00 Men's Overcoats.....	\$10.00
50c Men's and Boys' Caps.....	35c	\$4.00 Ralston Health Shoes	\$3.30
\$1.00 Suit of Underwear.....	75c	\$3.50 Shoes.....	\$2.75

The above are only a few of the good things I am offering. All winter goods are included. None reserved. My guarantee goes with every article. It must give wear for price paid or I will give a new article.

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## THE NEW STORE

## A. W. WHEATLEY TO LEAVE THE N. P.

Said to Have Accepted the Position of Superintendent of Shops at Moline

### GOES WITH THE ROCK ISLAND

At a Much Advanced Salary—Meteoric Rise of Mr. Wheatley in Railroad World

Arthur W. Wheatley, assistant superintendent of motive power of the Northern Pacific, will leave that company according to well authenticated reports and will become affiliated with the Rock Island system.

He has been offered and it is understood has accepted the position of superintendent of the shops of the company at Moline, Ill., at a salary of \$5,100 a year, or \$425 a month.

This will come as a great surprise to Mr. Wheatley's many friends in this city, as he has been affiliated most of the time during his railroad experience with the Northern Pacific and his rise in the railroad world has been phenomenal. It was but a few years ago that he worked as a machinist in the shops in this city. He was promoted step by step from a very subordinate position to the office of assistant superintendent of motive power of the Northern Pacific system, a position of great importance. His many friends in Brainerd will always watch his progress with much interest.

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### YOUNG MAN BROKE HIS ARM

Fergus Fullerton While Playing in Yard at the Whittier School Slipped and Fell.

While playing in the yard of the Whittier school building yesterday afternoon Fergus Fullerton, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Fullerton, slipped and fell, breaking his arm. The young man was taken to his home and Dr. Reimstad was called and set the broken member. It is a rather serious break and he will be laid up for some time.

Sheet music, 7 pieces for \$1.00 at the Palace news depot, opposite P. O. 1971t

### THE MARKETS.

The following range of prices on the Minneapolis market today is furnished by Edwards-Wood Co:

	May	July
Wheat—		
Opening.....	1.16 1/4	1.14
Highest.....	1.16 3/4	1.14 1/4
Lowest.....	1.16 1/4	1.13 3/4
Closing.....	1.16 1/4	1.14

The Chicago closing prices are as follows:

May wheat.....	\$ 1.19 1/4
July ".....	1.01 1/4
May Corn.....	.46 1/4
July ".....	.47 1/4
May Oats.....	.30 1/4
July ".....	.30 3/4
May Pork.....	12.82
July Pork.....	12.95

The following are the cash closing prices on the Minneapolis market:

No. 1 Hard.....	1.18
No. 1 Northern.....	1.16 1/4
No. 2 Northern.....	1.12 1/4
No. 3 Yellow Corn.....	.43 1/4
No. 3 White Oats.....	.28 3/4
Barley.....	.37 to 45
No. 2 Rye.....	.75 1/4
Flax to arrive.....	1.20 1/4

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### ELECTED SECOND VICE

Editor A. J. Halsted, of This City Elected Second Vice President of the Minnesota Editorial Association

At the meeting of the State Editorial Association, held at St. Paul, Editor A. J. Halsted of this city was elected to the office of second vice president. This places the Brainerd man in line and he will in a few years be elected president of the association.

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**MAY FORCE UP PRICE**  
JOHN W. GATES AND HIS BACKERS MAY SEND WHEAT UP TO TWO DOLLARS.  
**FORMED AN IMMENSE POOL**  
COTERIE OF MILLIONAIRES IS SAID TO HOLD AN ENORMOUS AMOUNT OF WHEAT.

New York, Feb. 18.—Desperate but uneven battle was waged by the "shorts" in the wheat pits of this city against the gigantic bull pool in May wheat, headed by John W. Gates and his friends. The center of the maelstrom was in Chicago, but the operations there threw the local market into frenzy and those caught "short" endeavored to take advantage of the lower prices here.

On account of the millions of dollars behind Gates he may be able to force the price of wheat to \$2. Brokers, however, are referring to the disastrous ventures of Jim King and Joe Leiter and predicting that the Gates people will eventually meet the same fate. It is said that if the Gates coterie tries to force wheat to any abnormal price, enough of the staple would be delivered to swamp them. According to local brokers, the Gates people prepared as early as last November for the present operations. Those who are believed to form the working force of the big pool are Charles M. Schwab, John Lambert, J. Elwood and D. G. Reid. The silent partners, men at the helm with Gates, are said to be Ogden Armour and P. J. Valentia. Brokers believe that the report that the pool holds 20,000,000 bushels of wheat is not exaggerated.

**GOVERNOR IS ACCUSED**  
CHIEF EXECUTIVE WHITE OF WEST VIRGINIA MAY BE IMPEACHED.

Charleston, W. Va., Feb. 18.—As a climax to a series of sensations in the West Virginia legislature, charges were made by senators on the floor of the senate during the day which may result in the impeachment of Governor White. The charges were made particularly by Senator Caldwell, who "felt slapped over the face," to use his own expression, by the special message of Governor White to the senate on Wednesday. This was the message which was returned to the governor to supply a newspaper clipping, which concerned his political backers, Governor-Elect Dawson and United States Marshal Elliott.

The bomb was exploded in the senate when Senator Colcord insisted on calling up his resolution requesting an investigation of the charges contained in the governor's message which was sent to the senate and returned by that body on Wednesday.

Sensor Caldwell delivered a speech which was rampant with charges of illegal practices against Governor White and Governor-Elect Dawson. The resolution as it now stands contains this provision:

"Senators Marshall, Maginnis and Calderman were constituted an investigating committee to probe corruption charges made on the floor of the senate in newspaper reports and whatever may be gathered from the four winds."

Sensor Caldwell, in making his charges on the floor, said that Governor White was guilty of dividing with the secretary of state the fees of the latter office in consequence of the appointment. Governor-Elect Dawson is the present incumbent.

Sensor Caldwell also said a letter had been sent out from New York by a Charleston attorney offering to secure a reduction of tax on foreign corporations in return for support. He said that Dawson and White were the authors of the letter.

All these charges with those of alleged bribery of senators in connection with pending legislation will all come under the scope of the investigating committee.

**RUSSIAN RAIDERS DEFEATED.**  
Japs Inflict Heavy Damage on a Large Force.

General Oku's Headquarters, Feb. 18.—A Russian raiding force of 15,000 cavalry, 500 infantry and 20 guns moved south on both banks of the Liao river to Siaoheho on the Hun river, directly west of Liao yang Thursday and then began gradually returning to the northward.

The force is now twelve miles north-west of Siaoheho and three miles east of Liao river. The Japanese pursued and inflicted damage on the raiders.

The Russians on General Oku's front are inactive.

**JAPANESE DISLODGED.**  
Mikado's Men Driven Out of Villages by Russians.

Mukden, Feb. 18.—Volunteers reconquering the right flank dislodged the Japanese from the villages of Vaintashan, Tadzeu, Koitai and Two Mound hill. The villages were burned.

**WHERE TO WORSHIP**  
St. Francis Catholic church: Services will be held at 8 a. m. and 10:30 a. m. Sunday school at 2 o'clock p. m., vespers and benediction 8 o'clock p. m.; mass on week days 7:30 a. m., except on Tuesdays and Saturdays, when mass is at St. Joseph's hospital. Rev. D. W. Lynch, pastor.

St. Paul's church, corner of N. Seventh and Juniper streets. 10:30 a. m. Holy Communion and sermon. 12:00 noon, Sunday School. 7:30 p. m., children's service. Friday 7:30 p. m., evening prayer and address. All are heartily invited to take part in these services.

Peoples Congregational church. Preaching 10:30. Sunday school 12 o'clock, noon. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30 p. m. Preaching 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting 7:30 p. m., Thursday. A cordial invitation is extended to all. Strangers especially invited to all services. Rev. E. P. Kuhl, pastor.

First M. E. church corner of Juniper and Sixth streets: Class meeting at 10 a. m., Sunday school at 12:15, Epworth League 6:30 p. m. Morning sermon by Rev. E. C. Clemans, presiding elder of the Duluth district. Evening subject, "Moses and Hobab." Prelude, "The Monroe Doctrine, the Senate and the President." A special collection at both services. All are cordially invited. Rev. H. W. Knowles, pastor.

Swedish M. E. church: Services in People's church every Sunday at 10:45 and 7:45 p. m. Sunday school at 12 m. Rev. N. P. Glenmaker, pastor.

Swedish Baptist church: Morning service at 10:30; Sunday school at noon; Young People's Society meeting 7: evening service, 7:30. Rev. A. A. Anderson, pastor.

Swedish Lutheran church: Morning service at 10:30; Sunday school at 12 m.; evening service at 7:30 o'clock. Rev. Matson, pastor.

Christian Scientists: Services every Sunday at 10:45 a. m., in the Columbian block third floor, hall to the right. No evening services. All are welcome. Sunday school at 11:45 a. m.

Swedish Mission church, Cor. Maple and Ninth street south: Morning service at 10:45 a. m.; evening service at 7:30 p. m., Sunday school at noon. Mid-week service on Thursday evening at 8 p. m.

First Congregational church, corner Juniper and Fifth streets: Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30 p. m. Morning services at 10:30; evening services at 7:30. Rev. William J. Palm will preach both morning and evening. Morning subject, "Compensation;" evening, "There Abide With God." Everybody is cordially invited. Rev. Richard Brown, pastor.

First Baptist church: Morning service at 10:30; evening service at 7:30; Young people's meeting at 6:30; all week meetings at 7:30. A hearty welcome to all. Rev. W. H. Walker, pastor.

Norwegian Lutheran church, 7th St. south, between Laurel and Maple streets: Services at 10:30 in the morning and 7:30 in the evening. Sunday school at 12 m. Sunday school in both the Norwegian and English languages. All are cordially invited to attend. Rev. O. F. Johnson, pastor.

Evangelical church: Sunday school at 10 a. m., morning service at 11 a. m., Y. P. A. at 7 p. m. A cordial invitation is extended to all. Strangers especially welcome. H. A. Seder, pastor.

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**TO FACILITATE ACTION.**  
House Sends Amended Statehood Bill Direct into Conference.  
Washington, Feb. 18.—In order to facilitate action at this session on the statehood bill the house during the day passed a resolution sending that measure as amended by the senate direct into conference without an opportunity being afforded to debate it. After several hours discussion the naval appropriation bill was laid aside and the house entered upon exercises appropriate to the reception and acceptance of the statue of Frances E. Willard, presented by the state of Illinois.

**ADOPTS HORTON BILL**  
HOUSE PASSED CAPITOL CONTROL MEASURE WITH MANY AMENDMENTS.  
NEARLY ALL OF THE ORIGINAL FEATURES OF THE BILL ARE ELIMINATED.

St. Paul, Feb. 18.—The Horton capitol bill, shorn of all its original features, was adopted by the house Friday, sitting as a committee of the whole.

The outcome was really a victory for the Putnam followers, whose bill to vest the control of the new building in the governor, after August, 1905, was laid on the table Thursday.

Following nearly two hours of parliamentary tactics, in which the Putnam followers, known as the minority, showed consummate skill, with motions, counter motions and a heavy line of debate, the Horton bill was adopted and then amended out of all resemblance to its original shape.

The provision for a resident superintendent, at a salary of \$3,000 a year, was stricken out.

Two years was placed as the time limit for control by the commission and, after that date, the building must be turned over to the governor.

The proviso was also added that, if the building should be completed before the two years' limit, then the governor should assume control.

The annual appropriation for maintenance was cut from \$60,000 to \$40,000. The original figure asked by Senator Horton was \$75,000.

As a concluding feature, an amendment placed the purchase of all needed supplies for the new building in the hands of the board of control.

General orders for the day carried two capitol control bills—the Horton bill, giving the capitol commission complete control, and the Mork bill, creating a new commission, with the governor shorn of all power.

**The Vote on the Mork Bill.**  
A vote was taken direct on the Mork bill, which named a commission to be composed of the heads of the various state departments. It was lost by a vote of 56 to 50.

A motion to substitute the Horton measure for the Mork bill was offered and the house adopted it by a vote of 56 to 39.

Here the amendments followed, and at the finish, the Horton bill came out frightfully mutilated. The amendments came thick and fast and these were each voted on in turn and passed.

While the Horton bill was adopted by the house, the fight over who shall be the custodian is by no means over. The Putnam compromise bill is still on the table and may yet be taken up.

The vending of milk will be a profitable industry if a bill introduced in the house by Representative M. L. Fosseen of Hennepin county becomes law.

Under the terms of the Fosseen bill, the standard measure for milk is reduced from a gallon of 282 cubic inches to one of 231 cubic inches.

The annual appropriation to the state Horticultural society, to aid in the printing and distribution of the reports and bulletins, by a bill offered by Representative W. W. Bardwell, Minneapolis, is fixed at \$3,000.

The new naval reserve is accommodated with an appropriation of \$8,500, in a bill introduced by Representative N. F. Hugo, Duluth.

Representative J. A. Gates offered a bill giving villages the right to require by ordinance the maintenance of flagmen and general safety devices at dangerous railroad crossings.

**WARM DISCUSSION IN SENATE.**  
Memorial to Congress on Bankruptcy Act Causes the Debate.  
An innocent appearing memorial by Senator Collier, asking congress to repeal the national bankruptcy act, threw the dignified senate into a wordy spasm. Evidently some of the senators believed the act itself was under consideration, from the fervor of their utterances.

In the midst of the discussion Senator Daniel Shell, who rarely speaks, got the floor and provoked considerable merriment by saying:

"I think we had better let congress attend to this matter."

Sensor Albert Schaller thought the memorial was hastily prepared and should not pass. Other senators spoke both for and against the measure, but the upshot was that the memorial was recommended to pass, although a large number of the senators opposed the measure.

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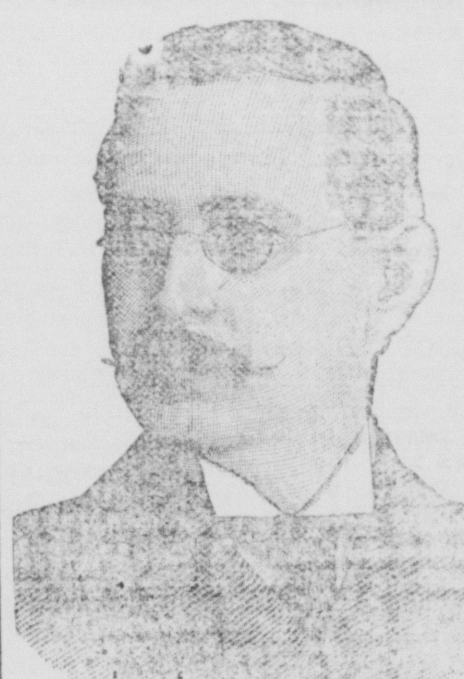
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COTERIE OF MILLIONAIRES IS SAID TO HOLD AN ENORMOUS AMOUNT OF WHEAT.

New York, Feb. 18.—Desperate but uneven battle was waged by the "shorts" in the wheat pits of this city against the gigantic bull pool in May wheat, headed by John W. Gates and his friends. The center of the maelstrom was in Chicago, but the operations there threw the local market into frenzy and those caught "short" endeavored to take advantage of the lower prices here.

On account of the millions of dollars behind Gates he may be able to force the price of wheat to \$2. Brokers, however, are referring to the disastrous ventures of Jim King and Joe Leiter and predicting that the Gates people will eventually meet the same fate. It is said that if the Gates coterie tries to force wheat to any abnormal price, enough of the staple would be delivered to swamp them. According to local brokers, the Gates people prepared as early as last November for the present operations. Those who are believed to form the working force of the big pool are Charles M. Schwab, John Lambert, J. Elwood and D. G. Reid. The silent partners, men at the helm with Gates, are said to be Ogden Armour and P. J. Valentine. Brokers believe that the report that the pool holds 20,000,000 bushels of wheat is not exaggerated.

## GOVERNOR IS ACCUSED

CHIEF EXECUTIVE WHITE OF WEST VIRGINIA MAY BE IMPEACHED.

Charleston, W. Va., Feb. 18.—As a climax to a series of sensations in the West Virginia legislature, charges were made by senators on the floor of the senate during the day which may result in the impeachment of Governor White. The charges were made particularly by Senator Caldwell, who "felt slapped over the face," to use his own expression, by the special message of Governor White to the senate on Wednesday. This was the message which was returned to the governor to supply a newspaper clipping, which concerned his political backers, Governor-Elect Dawson and United States Marshal Elliott.

The bomb was exploded in the senate when Senator Colcord insisted on calling up his resolution requesting an investigation of the charges contained in the governor's message which was sent to the senate and returned by that body on Wednesday.

Senator Caldwell delivered a speech which was rampant with charges of illegal practices against Governor White and Governor-Elect Dawson. The resolution as it now stands contains this provision:

"Senators Marshall, Maginnis and Calderman were constituted an investigating committee to probe corruption charges made on the floor of the senate in newspaper reports and whatever may be gathered from the four winds."

Senator Caldwell, in making his charges on the floor, said that Governor White was guilty of dividing with the secretary of state the fees of the latter office in consequence of the appointment. Governor-Elect Dawson is the present incumbent.

Senator Caldwell also said a letter had been sent out from New York by a Charleston attorney offering to secure a reduction of tax on foreign corporations in return for support. He said that Dawson and White were the authors of the letter.

All these charges with those of alleged bribery of senators in connection with pending legislation will all come under the scope of the investigating committee.

## RUSSIAN RAIDERS DEFEATED.

Japs Inflict Heavy Damage on a Large Force.

General Oku's Headquarters, Feb. 18.—A Russian raiding force of 15,000 cavalry, 500 infantry and 20 guns moved south on both banks of the Liao river, directly west of Liaoyang Thursday and then began gradually returning to the northward.

The force is now twelve miles northwest of Siaoheho and three miles east of Liao river. The Japanese pursued and inflicted damage on the raiders. The Russians on General Oku's front are inactive.

## JAPANESE DISLODGED.

Mikado's Men Driven Out of Villages by Russians.

Mukden, Feb. 18.—Volunteers reconnoitering the right flank dislodged the Japanese from the villages of Vaintashan, Tadzeu, Koitai and Two Mound hill. The villages were burned.

## WHERE TO WORSHIP

St. Francis' Catholic church: Services will be held at 8 a. m. and 10:30 a. m. Sunday school at 2 o'clock p. m., vespers and benediction 8 o'clock p. m.; mass on week days 7:30 a. m., except on Tuesdays and Saturdays, when mass is at St. Joseph's hospital. Rev. D. W. Lynch, pastor.

St. Paul's church, corner of N. Seventh and Juniper streets. 10:30 a. m. Holy Communion and sermon. 12:00 noon, Sunday School. 7:30 p. m., children's service. Friday 7:30 p. m., evening prayer and address. All are heartily invited to take part in these services.

Peoples Congregational church. Preaching 10:30. Sunday school 12 o'clock, noon. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30 p. m. Preaching 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting 7:30 p. m., Thursday. A cordial invitation is extended to all. Strangers especially invited to all services. Rev. E. P. Kuhl, pastor.

First M. E. church corner of Juniper and Sixth streets: Class meeting at 10 a. m., Sunday school at 12:15, Epworth League 6:30 p. m. Morning sermon by Rev. E. C. Clemans, presiding elder of the Duluth district. Evening subject, "Moses and Hobab." Prelude, "The Monroe Doctrine, the Senate and the President." A special collection at both services. All are cordially invited. Rev. H. W. Knowles, pastor.

Swedish M. E. church: Services in People's church every Sunday at 10:45 and 7:45 p. m. Sunday school at 12 m. Rev. N. P. Glemaker, pastor.

Swedish Baptist church: Morning service at 10:30; Sunday school at noon; Young People's Society meeting 7; evening service, 7:30. Rev. A. A. Anderson, pastor.

Swedish Lutheran church: Morning service at 10:30; Sunday school at 12 m.; evening service at 7:30 o'clock. Rev. Matson, pastor.

Christian Scientists: Services every Sunday at 10:45 a. m., in the Columbian block third floor, hall to the right. No evening services. All are welcome. Sunday school at 11:45 a. m.

Swedish Mission church, Cor. Maple and Ninth street south: Morning service at 10:45 a. m.; evening service at 7:30 p. m., Sunday school at noon. Mid-week service on Thursday evening at 8 p. m.

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Norwegian Lutheran church, 7th St. south, between Laurel and Maple streets: Services at 10:30 in the morning and 7:30 in the evening. Sunday school at 12 m. Sunday school in both the Norwegian and English languages. All are cordially invited to attend. Rev. O. F. Johnson, pastor.

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## TO FACILITATE ACTION.

House Sends Amended Statehood Bill Direct Into Conference.

Washington, Feb. 18.—In order to facilitate action at this session on the statehood bill the house during the day passed a resolution sending that measure as amended by the senate direct into conference without an opportunity being afforded to debate it. After several hours discussion the naval appropriation bill was laid aside and the house entered upon exercises appropriate to the reception and acceptance of the statue of Frances E. Willard, presented by the state of Illinois.

## ADOPTS HORTON BILL

HOUSE PASSED CAPITOL CONTROL MEASURE WITH MANY AMENDMENTS.

NEARLY ALL OF THE ORIGINAL FEATURES OF THE BILL ARE ELIMINATED.

St. Paul, Feb. 18.—The Horton capitol bill, shorn of all its original features, was adopted by the house Friday, sitting as a committee of the whole.

The outcome was really a victory for the Putnam followers, whose bill to vest the control of the new building in the governor, after August, 1905, was laid on the table Thursday.

Following nearly two hours of parliamentary tactics, in which the Putnam followers, known as the minority, showed consummate skill, with motions, counter motions and a heavy line of debate, the Horton bill was adopted and then amended out of all resemblance to its original shape.

The provision for a resident superintendent, at a salary of \$3,000 a year, was stricken out.

Two years was placed as the time limit for control by the commission and, after that date, the building must be turned over to the governor.

The proviso was also added that, if the building should be completed before the two years' limit, then the governor should assume control.

The annual appropriation for maintenance was cut from \$50,000 to \$40,000. The original figure asked by Senator Horton was \$75,000.

As a concluding feature, an amendment placed the purchase of all needed supplies for the new building in the hands of the board of control.

General orders for the day carried two capitol control bills—the Horton bill, giving the capitol commission complete control, and the Mork bill, creating a new commission, with the governor shorn of all power.

## The Vote on the Mork Bill.

A vote was taken direct on the Mork bill, which named a commission to be composed of the heads of the various state departments. It was lost by a vote of 56 to 50.

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Here the amendments followed, and at the finish, the Horton bill came out frightfully mutilated. The amendments came thick and fast and these were each voted on in turn and passed.

While the Horton bill was adopted by the house, the fight over who shall be the custodian is by no means over. The Putnam compromise bill is still on the table and may yet be taken up.

The vending of milk will be a profitable industry if a bill introduced in the house by Representative M. L. Fosseen of Hennepin county becomes law.

Under the terms of the Fosseen bill, the standard measure for milk is reduced from a gallon of 282 cubic inches to one of 231 cubic inches.

The annual appropriation to the state Horticultural society, to aid in the printing and distribution of the reports and bulletins, by a bill offered by Representative W. W. Bardwell, Minneapolis, is fixed at \$3,000.

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## WARM DISCUSSION IN SENATE.

### Memorial to Congress on Bankruptcy Act Causes the Debate.

An innocent appearing memorial by Senator Collier, asking congress to repeal the national bankruptcy act, threw the dignified senate into a wordy spasm. Evidently some of the senators believed the act itself was under consideration, from the fervor of their utterances.

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